assistance for 1990-94 was on tapering basis with Ministry of Welfare's share increasing @ 20% per year. Year-wise details of amount of foreign financial assistance for the last three years is as under:

Year	Amount	
1993-94	Rs.26,87,631/-	
1994-95	- Nil	
1995-96	Nil	

- (c) No, Sir.
- (d) Question does not arise.

Written Answers

(e) Financial assistance from NIDRR was received for DRCs at Sitapur and Chengalpattu for 1985-89.

[English]

STD/ISD Booths in Gujarat

2533. SHRI P.S. GADHAVI: Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

- (a) the number of STD/ISD booths are functioning in Gujarat, district-wise;
- (b) whether a large number of applications are still pending for allotment of such new booths in the State;
 - (c) if so, the details thereof, district-wise; and
 - (d) the time by which these are likely to be cleared?

THE MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI BENI PRASAD VARMA): (a) to (c). The detailed information is given in the attached Statement.

(d) The applications received are examined by a committee which meets every month and eligible applicants are sanctioned. This is a continuous process.

STATEMENT

S.No.	District	No. of STD/ISD booths working	Applications pending for allotment for STD/ISD booths
1	2	3	4
1.	Ahmedabad	1803	363
2.	Gandhinagar	44	98
3.	Amreli	249	330
4.	Bhavnagar	452	723
5 .	Bharuch	567	5 6
6.	Bhuj (Kutch)	467	439
7.	Banaskantha (Palanpur)	286	103
8.	Jamna g ar	429	178
9.	Junagadh	660	426

1	2	3	4
10.	Kheda (Nadiad)	841	432
11.	Mehasana	585	444
12.	Panchamahal (Godhra)	293	29
13.	Rajkot	1011	434
14.	Sabarkantha (Himatnagar)	236	49
15.	Surat	713	377
6.	Surendrana g ar	273	66
17.	Valsad	591	258
18.	Dang	01	-
19.	·Vadodara	2077	-
	Total	11578	4805
A. A. Charmen			

[Translation]

Labourers in Agricultural Sector

2534. SHRI NITISH KUMAR : SHRI NAWAL KISHORE RAI :

Will the Minister of LABOUR be pleased to state :

- (a) the total number of labourers in the country at present, category-wise;
- (b) whether the labourers engaged in agriculture sector get work for maximum hundred days only throughout the year;
- (c) if not, the assessment of the Government in this regard;
- (d) whether the Government have introduced any scheme to ensure employment to these agriculture labourers in the country during the days when they are jobless;
 - (e) if so, the details thereof; and
- (f) the number of days these labourers are likely to get work as a result thereof?

THE MINISTER OF LABOUR (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM) : (a) A Statement is attached.

- (b) and (c). According to the fourth Rural Labour Enquiry (RLE), the average days worked per year by men and women of agricultural labour households in agricultural wage employment for the year 1983 (4th RLE) were 159 days and 136 tdays.
- (d) to (f). Jawahar Rojgar Yojana and Intensive Jawahar Rojgar Yojana aim at generation of additional gainful employment and creation of productive community assets. Employment generation during the year 1994-95 under this scheme is 977.14 lakh mandays. An additional 113.47 lakh mandays employment was generated under Intensive Jawahar Rojgar Yojana (IJRY) during 1994-95. On 2nd October,